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Draft decision submitted by the Vice-President of the Council, Mr. Jose Lino B. Guerrero (Philippines), on the basis of informal consultations

Establishment of new subsidiary bodies of the Council

The Economic and Social Council, recalling General Assembly resolution 46/235 of 13 April 1992 on the restructuring and revitalization of the United Nations in the economic, social and related fields, decides:

(a) To abolish its Committee on Natural Resources;

(b) To establish a functional Commission on Science and Technology for Development, a Committee on Natural Resources, and a Committee on New and Renewable Sources of Energy and on Energy for Development, in accordance with General Assembly resolution 46/235;

(c) To request the Secretary-General to submit for approval of the Council at its substantive session of 1992 the consolidated mandates of the new subsidiary bodies, in accordance with the provisions of General Assembly resolution 46/235;

(d) To hold elections for the membership of the bodies mentioned above at its substantive session of 1992 as an exceptional measure;

(e) To request the Secretary-General to submit draft provisional agendas for the Commission on Science and Technology for Development and the Committee on Natural Resources for consideration at its substantive session of 1992;

(f) That the Commission on Science and Technology for Development shall hold its first session from 12 to 23 April 1993 and the Committee on Natural Resources shall hold its first session from 22 March to 2 April 1993.

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